

I am writing to urge you to rule against further monopoly of the media in America by a few profiteering and controlling conglomerates. A true DEMOCRACY allows for -- in fact encourages -- the voices and opinions of the many, not just the few. We must retain the strength inherent in diversity, and that can only be accomplished by variety of ownership and freedom of expression. Take that away, and you are left with spin, crowd-control, brain-washing and propaganda. That is too narrow of a road for this 227 year old exercise/experiment in freedom.